



Please take a moment to sign the attendance book and let us know you're here.

We're grateful to have you with us today!

### **Prayers of Concern and Thanksgiving**

If you have someone to place on this list or would like our prayer chain to pray for them, please contact the church office via email to [sugargroveumc176@gmail.com](mailto:sugargroveumc176@gmail.com) or fill out Prayer Request found in the pews.

**We extend our sympathy to the family of Barbara Wolf, who passed away on June 2, 2026. Please keep her loved ones in your prayers during this difficult time. Services will be held on June 11, 2026, from 10:00–11:00 a.m. at Healy Chapel.**

**Betty Enoch  
Bubba Eckard**

### **Military**

Cody Chrastka – Air Force (Friend of Jonathon Rogers)  
Andy Fellela – Army (Friend of McCannon family)  
Laura Guzick – Air Force (Lifted by Rogers family)  
Tim Langkan - (Lifted by Rogers family)  
Steve Holy – Army (Nephew of Dave Hacker)  
Mateo Morales — National Guard (Son of Diane & Tomas Morales)  
Austin Kintz – Air Force (Lifted by Brian Schiber)  
Eric Stoll – Army (Son of Art & Jen Stoll)  
Nick Confiliano—Marines (Friend of Mark Wojak)  
Nick Malak – Army (Nephew of John Malak)  
Ben Bushno Marines – Deployed (Nephew of Sheri Emmert)

## **Sugar Grove United Methodist Church**

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**June 7, 2026**

9:00 a.m. Worship Service

Holy Baptism

Holy Communion

Pastor Joe Munro

*Our Purpose: To build inclusive fellowship that nurtures loving relationships between community and Christ.*

***Welcome to Sugar Grove United Methodist Church!***

*We hope that you know that wherever you have been on your spiritual journey and whatever your faith background might be, you are welcome, and we are glad to worship together.*

**Prelude**    **Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise**    **arr. Gegg Sewell**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**+Passing of the Peace**

**+Opening Hymn**    **Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise**    **UMC #103**

**+Call to Worship**

L: Come, people of God—remember who you are.

**P: We are God’s beloved, claimed by grace.**

L: Come to the water, where God meets us first.

**P: We come to remember God’s promise that never fails.**

L: In baptism, we are welcomed, washed, and made new.

**P: We are marked as Christ’s own and called to follow.**

L: Come, not because you have earned it—

**P: But because God has already given it.**

L: Let us worship the One who claims us in love.

**All: We come to remember our baptism and rejoice in God’s grace.**

**Opening Prayer**

**Gracious and loving God, we come before You today, remembering that You have called us by name. Before we ever reached for You, You reached for us. Before we understood, You gave us grace. In the waters of baptism, You claimed us as Your own, washed us in Your mercy, and gave us new life in Christ. Renew in us today the gift of that grace. Remind us who we are and whose we are. Fill us again with Your Holy Spirit, that we may live as Your people— loved, forgiven, and sent into the world. We offer You our worship with grateful hearts, in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Baptism of Miles Reid Keller son of Mark & Lauren Keller

Sponsors: Lisa Keller, Mark Smith Becca Smith

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**+ Please stand if you are able.**

**Scripture Reading**

**Acts 2:38–39**

**Bruce Roskens**

L: This is the word of God for the people of God.

**P: Thanks be to God**

**Children's Time**

**Song**

**Holy Water**

**Sermon: Marked by Grace: The Gift of Baptism**

**Pastor Joe Munro**

**Joys and Concerns/Pastoral Prayer**

**Offering Invitation**

**Offertory: Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus / In Christ Alones**

**arr. Carol Tornquist**

**+Doxology**

**+Prayer of Dedication**

**Invitation to the Table**

All are invited to God’s table. All are welcome to participate in the fullness of God’s abundant, healing, reconciling meal. Come to the feast. All is ready!

**The Great Thanksgiving**

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**Sharing the Bread and the Cup**

All here are welcome to receive the bread and cup. You will come forward in the center aisle to receive the bread and the cup. Then return to your pew by the side aisles. If you prefer gluten free communion, please let the pastor know.

**Prayer After Receiving**

**Closing Hymn**

**Baptized in Water**

**#2248 The Faith We Sing**

**Benediction**

# *Miles Reid Keller*

*Date of Birth: May 22, 2025*

*Date of Baptism: June 7, 2026*

Baptismal Covenant II (8)

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L: Do you, as Christ's body, the Church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

**P: We do.**

L: Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include these persons now before you in your care?

**P: With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ.**

**ALL: We will surround Miles with a community of love and forgiveness, that he may grow in his service to others. We will pray for him, that he may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.**

**God Claims You TFWS #2249 vs 1,2,3**

**One other side ----->**

*God Claims You TFWS #2249 vs 1, 2, 3*

**Miles, Miles, God claims you;**

**God helps you, protects you, and loves you, too.**

**We this day do all agree**

**a child of God you'll always be.**

**Miles, Miles, God claims you;**

**God helps you, protects you, and loves you, too.**

**Mark & Lauren love you so;**

**we vow to help your faith to grow.**

**Miles, Miles, God claims you;**

**God helps you, protects you, and loves you, too.**

**We are here to say this day**

**that we will help you on your way.**

**Miles, Miles, God claims you;**

**God helps you, protects you, and loves you, too.**

# *June Mission: Donations for Between Friends Sugar Grove Food Pantry*

## *Requested Items:*

*Bagged coffee  
Shampoo, conditioner & hair gel  
Dish soap  
Dishwasher detergent  
Hamburger helper and similar boxed meals  
Protein bars  
Freeze dried fruit (in bags)  
Toothpaste  
Mouthwash*



We are serving Hesed House on June 28th for our Mission this month. You can donate items, pack lunches, and/or serve. Sign up sheets are in the fellowship area or online.

## *Happy Birthday!!*

<i>Don Cubberley</i>	<i>June 7</i>
<i>Whitney Munro</i>	<i>June 8</i>
<i>Allison Johnson</i>	<i>June 10</i>
<i>Tom Brouch</i>	<i>June 13</i>

## *Happy Anniversary!!*

<i>Ron and Joan Wheeler</i>	<i>June 8</i>
<i>Art and Jennifer Stoll</i>	<i>June 11</i>
<i>Nick and Lori Miner</i>	<i>June 13</i>

## *May Mission Update: Tooth Fairy*

Success!! We reached our \$500 Goal!

Dr. Fee will match the \$500 collected!

He will order dental supplies and deliver them to Between Friends Sugar Grove Food Pantry and Hesed House.

Your generosity is appreciated!